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SMALL ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

January 24, 2001

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

- is submitted herewith ( Original Photocopy).
- was previously submitted on July 23, 1999.
- is being transmitted via  $\boxtimes$ enclosed document the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
- The enclosed document is being transmitted via facsimile.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	43	-	41	=	2	\$ 9	\$18.00
INDEPENDENT	4	_	3	=	1	\$ 40	\$40.00
FIR:	ST PRESENTA	ATIC	N OF A MULT	IPL	E CLAIM	\$135	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$58.00

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	Petition for ( ) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). $\$0.00$ for the extension of time.
	No fee is required.
$\boxtimes$	A check in the amount of \$58.00 is enclosed.
	Please charge Deposit Account No. $02-2448$ in the amount of $\$0.00$ . This form is submitted in triplicate.
over fees	If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, urrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any payment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, nsion of time fees.
	Respectfully submitted,
	By Anthony L. Birch, #26,122
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